



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

YOSHIMURA, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2832

Serial No.: 10/068,970

Examiner: Lincoln D. DONOVAN

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For: RARE EARTH METAL-BASED PERMANENT MAGNET, AND PROCESS
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 25, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 25, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.